

REMARKS

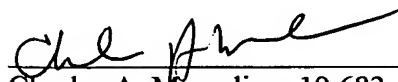
Reconsideration of the application is requested in view of the amendments to the claims and the remarks presented herein.

The claims in the application are Claims 15 to 22. Claims 23 and 24 have been cancelled and are being presented in a divisional application. Claim 15 has been amended to obviate paragraphs 3 and 4.

Claims 15 to 23 were rejected under 35 US 112, second paragraph as being indefinite. Claim 15 has been amended as suggested by the Examiner in paragraph 7a with the addition of "phenylpropyl", and adapted to avoid 7b. Therefore, the amended claims are believed definite and withdrawal of the rejection is requested.

In view of the amendments to the claims and the above remarks, it is believed that the claims point out Applicants' patentable contribution. Therefore, favorable reconsideration of the application is requested.

Respectfully submitted,
Hedman and Costigan



Charles A. Muserlian, 19,683
Attorney for Applicant(s)
Tel. # (212) 302 8989

CAM:mlp
Enclosures



"EXPRESS MAIL" Mailing Label Number: ED 555616440 US

Date of Deposit: May 2, 2006

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "EXPRESS MAIL POST OFFICE TO ADDRESSEE" Service under 37 CFR 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Marie-Louise Pinset
Marie-Louise Pinset